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November 8, 2013

Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining
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Attn: Peter Brinton

Enclosed is an application for an amendment to Graymont Cricket Mountain Mine south of Delta, UT. The proposed amendment will re-locate two growth media stockpiles currently planned to be installed along the approved Big Sage Road easement. Additionally, the re-located stockpiles will add approximately two acres to the proposed disturbance created from the road construction work. The enclosed application is intended to provide all of the information requested in the SITLA amendment application form.

Graymont's Cricket Mountain Facility currently supplies various carbonate products used for numerous industrial applications in the western states, and the proposed amendment to our mining operations will allow Graymont to continue to provide these products.

We would welcome a meeting or site visit with you to discuss further details of this submission. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Thank you very much for your attention to this matter.

Robert M. Robison Director,
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**Application for an Amendment
Submitted by Graymont Western US Inc.
For Cricket Mountain Mine**

1. **Applicant Name and Address:** Graymont Western US Inc. 3950 South 700 East, Suite 301 Salt Lake City, UT 84107
2. **Authorized Agent:** Mr. Robert Robison, Director, Geologic Services Graymont Western US Inc. 801-716-2629
3. **Applicant:** Graymont Western US Inc.
4. **Applicant Status:** Corporation
5. **Application:** New authorization amendment
6. **Citizenship:** A Utah Corporation
7. **Project Description:**
Graymont Western US Inc. (Graymont) is requesting an amendment from the State of Utah School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration (SITLA) to re-locate two proposed growth media stockpiles along the approved Big Sage Road easement. Additionally, these re-located stockpiles will add approximately 2.0 acres to the total proposed mine disturbance. Figure 1 shows the project location, the original layout of the growth media stockpiles, and the newly proposed layout and disturbance for the re-located stockpiles along the Big Sage Road. Table 1 details the proposed land disposition.

Table 1 – Land disposition – Big Sage Road growth media stockpiles

Township	Range	Sections	Qtr/Qtr Section	Land Status
T 21 S	R 10 W	35	SE1/4 NE1/4	Graymont Private
T 21 S	R 10 W	2	NE1/4 NE1/4	Utah State Trust Lands – Graymont Lease

State file number M/027/006

8. **Maps:** Map showing updated land disturbance and stockpile relocation is attached.

9. **Operation Plan:** Amendment will increase proposed growth media stockpile disturbance by approximately 2.0 acres

10. **Impact Assessment:**

Potential surface and subsurface impacts relating to this amendment are expected to be minimal. Both the original and newly proposed stockpile locations are within the boundaries of the biological and wildlife studies conducted prior to construction of the Big Sage Road. No adverse biological or wildlife impacts were determined. An increase of approximately 2.0 acres associated with this work is expected to have minimal impact on the surface.

11. **Reclamation and Revegetation**

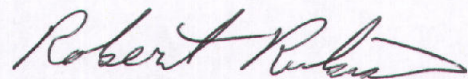
Upper soil layers will be salvaged for use as growth media during reclamation. Where feasible, vegetation growing on areas containing salvageable soils will be removed and stored in the growth media stockpiles within the easement to contribute organic matter to the soils to enhance further revegetation. It was originally proposed that there would be three such growth media stockpiles, with a proposed total disturbance of 1.5 acres. However, due to the amount of salvageable soil being generated, an increase of 2.0 acres (to 3.5 acres total) is requested. Ancillary disturbance associated with construction will be reclaimed.

12. **Variance:** No variance is requested as these stockpiles are part of the approved Big Sage Road easement.

13. **Surety:** No additional surety should be needed for this work. Additional disturbance is minimal and the amount of work required to reclaim the area has not significantly increased.

I (we) hereby make application, pursuant to Title 53C, as amended, and Trust Lands Administration rule, for an amendment on the following described State lands situated in Millard County, for a term of 30 year.

Corporate Tax I.D. Number: 87-0335998

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Applicant's Signature

Director, Geologic Services

Title

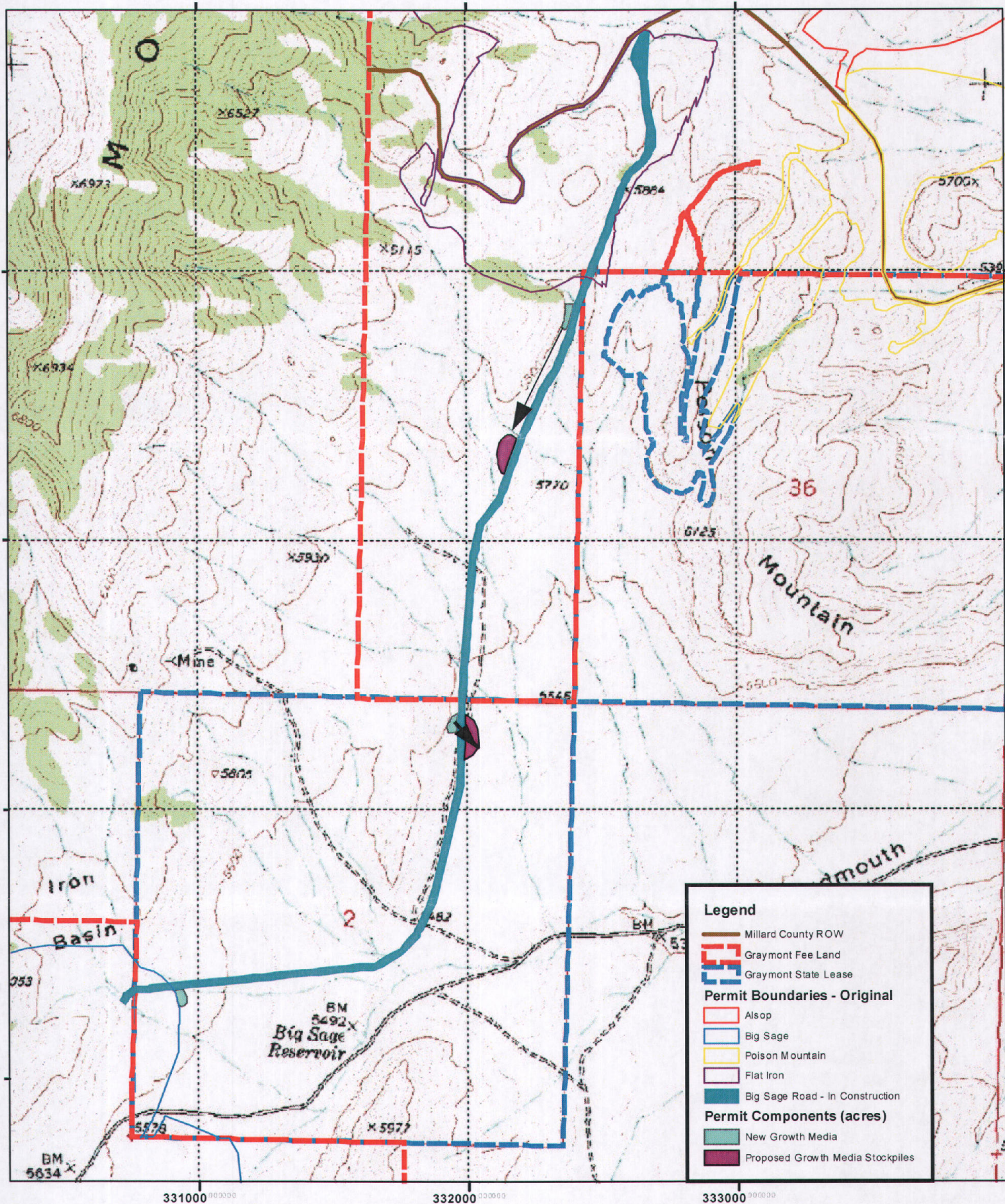


Figure 1: Big Sage Road Updated Growth Media Stockpiles

UTM NAD 1927 Zone 12 North

Topographic Base Map-USGS 7.5 minute series

October 11, 2013

Graymont Western US Inc.

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Application for Mineral Mine Plan Revision or Amendment

Operator: Graymont Western US, Inc.			
Mine Name: Cricket Mountain Mine		File Number: M/ 027 /006	
<small>Provide a detailed listing of all changes to the mining and reclamation plan that will be required as a result of this change. Individually list all maps and drawings that are to be added, replaced, or removed from the plan. Include changes of the table of contents, section of the plan, pages, or other information as needed to specifically locate, identify and revise or amend the existing Mining and Reclamation Plan. Include page, section and drawing numbers as part of the description.</small>			
DETAILED SCHEDULE OF CHANGES TO THE MINING AND RECLAMATION PLAN			
			DESCRIPTION OF MAP, TEXT, OR MATERIALS TO BE CHANGED
<input type="checkbox"/> ADD	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REPLACE	<input type="checkbox"/> REMOVE	Original growth media stockpile locations along Big Sage Road with stockpiles at newly proposed locations
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ADD	<input type="checkbox"/> REPLACE	<input type="checkbox"/> REMOVE	Approximately 2 acres of total disturbance associated with these new growth media stockpiles
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I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments and obligations, herein.

ROBERT ROBINSON
Print Name

Robert Robinson Director
Sign Name, Position
8 Nov 2013
Date

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